

Town of North Hempstead

Port Washington Parking Improvement Committee

Minutes

Date of Meeting: November 14, 2013

Location: Senior Citizens Center

Members:

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| - P Jim Salerno | - P Rhoda Becker |
| - P Donna Rice | - P Lynda Lees Adams |
| - P Bob Weitzner | - P Alan Elton |
| - P Lucretia Steele | - P Deborah Shapiro |
| - P Michael Cooperman | - P Peter Ripullone |
| - P Jim Kallenberg | |

Town Officials & Staff:

P- Councilwoman Dina M. DeGiorgio

Start Time of Meeting: 7:30 P.M

Welcome:

Councilwoman De Giorgio opened the meeting at 7:45 p.m.

Reports:

New Information Provided by Councilwoman De Giorgio

Distribution of Google Maps Aerial Maps

The Number of Commuter and Meter Spots on PW Peninsula

PW Parking District Budget-there is a need to increase revenue to offset borrowing

The Fines- Breakdown of Tickets by geographical area

New Business:

Sheilds Building- will meet with planning-will then have community meeting

Goal is to have lot open by late spring or early summer.

Employee parking

Approximately 35 spots

Agree that parking should be maximized

Agreement that lot should incorporate green elements and a small park

Other Matters:

Michael Cooperman suggested trying to get a larger percentage of the fines for the PWPD-

Parking Lot Issues- The following issues were raised and discussed:

DD-Lower Main & Shore can be employee parking

DD-Franks Pizza Lot by Maple-cull each underutilized muni-meter spot for merchant

DD-Spots in corner by fence at Carlos Lot for Merchants

Donna Rice suggested charging a different rate for closer lots to train station

DD-Can work with town to raise the per day rate

Deb Shapiro suggested to promote alternate methods of transportation to the station

Jim Kallenberg suggested that the LIRR can have an incentive for using the alternate means and give back to the community

Deb Shapiro said that the bus schedule must align with the train schedule, all agreed and DD to follow up.

A discussion was had about whether there is a large number of permits being obtained by non-resident of the PW Parking District. Chief Salerno, Councilwoman De Giorgio and Jim Kallenberg agreed that the new procedures made it difficult to obtain fraudulent permits and agreed to table the issue.

LIRR

DD would like to draft a letter to LIRR. Letter will be distributed prior to 12/5 meeting.

Items for Next Meeting:

How many Parking District Employees are there?

Demand letter to LIRR for more details about plans

Adjournment of Meeting:

Meeting adjourned at 9:10 p.m.

Date, Time & Place of Next Meeting: December 5th, PW Senior Citizens Center at 7:30pm